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plant, one of the pieces being made from
the fiber of the cocosnut, and is called
chamai; all of them are made by hand and
from the most primitive looms. Our laddes
should certainly ask to be shown these wonderful creations.

Jury Finds Indictments in Twenty-Six Cases.

Grand Jury, in a partial report to Douglas, returned twenty-six indictments in routine cases. Of these five were withheld by the cierk, as the defendants

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od With Assaulting Father. tant Prosecuting Attorney Dalton lay issued a warrant charging Frank ming, Jr., with stabbing his father, C. Denning, Sr., with a soir of scis-cith intent to kill. The prisoner says bood his father because he attacked blier. The hospital shysicians fear bunded must may be paralyzed in the limbs by the wound in the heal. The live at No. 733 South Second street.

aks Police to Find Her Son.



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You who attended our last January-February dull season sale know what splendid money - saving chances it offered. Know then that this Get-Busy Sale is a true son of its father-know that it offers \$30.00 Overcoats for \$25-\$25.00 Suits for \$20-\$7.00 Trousers for \$6 - \$6.00 Trousers for \$5 - that it does this only until 9 p. m. to-night and that it doesn't do it in black goods. These prices don't mean

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VISITORS AT ST. LOUIS HOTELS

—Jesse J. Adler of Parsons, Kas., is at the St. Nicholas with Mrs. Adler.

—Miss B. LeCompte Jones of Ingelsyde, Mo., is a guest at the Lindell.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Read of Oklahoma City, Ok., are at the Planters.

—J. R. Wright of Doniphan, Mo., is registered at the Southern. Intered at the Southern.

Frank P. Pratt of Omaha, Neb., has rooms at the New St. James.

H. M. Horr of Cleveland, O., is a guest at the Laclede.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Burgess of Frankfort, Ky, are at the Moser.

Henry L. Masterson of Cairo, Ill., was at Horn's yesterday. PARTIAL REPORT IS RETURNED.

-A. G. Lewis of Eureka Springs, Ark., arrived at the St. Nicholas yesterday.

-D. W. Gilbert of Zanesville, O., is registered at the Lindell. —Mr. and Mrs. Weber D. Raine of Memphis, Tenn., are at the Planters.

—J. B. Gray of Louisville, Ky., is stopping at the Southern.

—D. P. Curtis of Temple, Tex., has rooms at the Lacleds.

—J. T. Bradshaw of Chillicothe, Mo., is registered at the Laclede. -Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Lewis of Mil-waukee, Wis., are at Horn's.
- Herbert L. Updyke of Atlanta, Ga., was at the Moser yesterday.
- Mrs. Minnie Young of Dallas, Tex., is a guest at the St. Nicholas. -Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Poritz of Des folmes, Is., are at the Lindell. -Charles E. Davis of New Orleans, La., registered at the Planters.

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-W. C. Mandell of Sait Lake City, Utah, is a guest at the Southern.

-Mrs. R. J. Goddard of Sparts, Ill., spent yesterday at the New St. James.

-D. B. Scott of Galesburg, Ill., is on the guest list at the Laclede. -A. V. Davenport of Holdenville, I. T. arrived at the St. Nicholas yesterday. arrived at the St. Nicholas yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Morrison of Okmulgee, I. T., are at the Lindell.

—J. D. Hand of Los Alamos, N. M., is registered at the Planters.

S. C. Midward Murray of Trenton, N. J., is stopping at the Southers.

—J. H. Bowen of Sedalia, Mo., has rooms at the New St. James.

—George W. Bunner of St. Paul, Minn., was at the Inclede yesterday.

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Military Reception and Ball. Branch Guards, Company G, First Regi-ent, N. G. M., have issued invitations for military reception and ball to take place

MESSENGER BOY THE CAUSE OF BAD WRECK

Gave Clear Signal to Passenger Train When Two Engines Were on the Track Ahead.

FOUR KILLED BY COLLISION.

Speed Only Twenty Miles an Hour at Time of Accident, so That the Passengers Escaped Without Injury.

Cumberland, Md., Jan. 16.-Through the alleged interference of a messenger boy a wreck was caused on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad east of Cumberland early today, in which four employes of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad were killed and three injured.

The killed are: W. T. Simms, engineer; W. J. Moran, fireman; H. D. Sneeringer, fireman; John Butler, engineer. The wreck was due to the displaying of a false signal, giving a clear track for east-bound passenger train No. 10, when in the next block ahead there was standing on

the track a caboose and two engines.

The passenger train was drawn by two engines, and these crashed through the caose and engines which obstructed the Luckly the train had not attained its full

Lucklly the train had not attained its full speed, and was only moving at the rate of about twenty miles an hour when the collision came. The postal car of the passenger train was derailed, but the passenger coaches did not leave the track, and the occupants escaped injury.

It is charged that a messenger boy who was in the block tower when No. 10 came along and heard the engineer's whistic for clear tracks pulled a lever giving him a clear signal.

The operator had, it is explained, previously set the signal at danger. While his attention was being devided to communicating with the succeeding block station, the boy, it is alleged, pulled the lever that gave the encoming train the signal that it had a clear block ahead, and the tower operator was not aware of what was done until the crash came.

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ALLEGED COUNTERFEITER HELD

Secret Service Agents Will Inves tigate Todd Case.

Alexander Todd, who is charged with passing spurious coins, was taken before United States Commissioner Gray yesterday afternoon. He was identified by several wit atternoon. He was identified by several witnesses, who testified that the man had either passed or attempted to pass counterfeit 50-cent pieces upon them.

Todd denied the allegations and stated that he only arrived from Denison, Tex., Thursday afternoon. He claimed to know nothing regarding the bogus money, but the Commissioner decided that the evidence warranted his holding the man for further investigation.

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The arrest occurred Thursday afternoon, and yesterday morning United States Secret Service Agent Murphy was detailed upon the case. In company with Patroiman Drewes, who made the arrest, he visited the place where Todd was taken into custody.

Murphy claims that he found several new counterfeit coins buried in the snow. The coins that it is claimed Todd attempted to pass were poorly made and Murphy claims they correspond in every particular with those found yesterday.

Late yesterday afternoon Todd was brought before Murphy and put through a severe cross-examination. The latter refused to state what Todd divulged.

In the examination Todd stated he was a stranger in the city and that he had not even found a boarding place when he was arrested. He claims to have no friends here.

The prosecuting witnesses are Louis En.

here.
The prosecuting witnesses are Louis Engel, No. 1100 Brooklyn street; Henry Wahlbing, No. 3166 North Thirteenth street, and Ben Moog, Eleventh and Buchanan streets.

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GIRL WAS BURNED TO DEATH. Accidentally Pulled a Hanging

Lamp Down Upon Herself. Warrensburg, Mo., Jan. 16.-Miss Nealy Young, the 16-year-old daughter of Lige Young, known as the "Apple King of John-

soung, known as the "Apple King of Johnsep County," died to-day from burns received last night.

She attempted to lower a coal oil lamp when the chains supporting the lamp broke, throwing oil all over the upper part of her body. It caught five and the was burned till the fiesh was thereof in many places. Both cress were burned out.

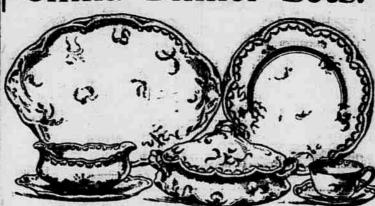
Physicans tried to case the pain, but without avail.

Doctor J. Davis Forster is being urged by his friends for the appointment of superin-tendent of the Female Hospital next April. Doctor Forster is a member of the Jefterson Club. His friends say he has the indorse-ment of every precinct committed man in his ward, the Twenty-eighth, for the position.

Killed in Dynamite Explosion. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Carthage, Mo., Jan. 18.—David Brown, a farmer, was instantly killed and George Young, ground boss of the McGowen Mining Company's plant, was seriously injured yesterday afternoon by the explosion of dynamite caps in the blacksmith shop of the company's plant, two and one-half miles south of Reed's Station, near this city. The accident resulted from a spark, which flew into the box of explosives during the sharpening of a mining drill. Annual Cash Clearing Sale Of the Finest Imported

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IOWA EXERTING HERSELF ON AGRICULTURAL EXHIBIT.

ommissioner Whiting Says State Will Attempt to Surpass All Others in This Display.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Des Moines, Jan. 16 .- The agricultural exibit of the State of Iowa at the St. Louis World's Fair next year will be the finest exhibit of its kind ever prepared in Iowa. This much has been determined upon by Representative Will C. Whiting of Whiting, Monona County, the member of the Exposition Commission designated to have general superintendence of the agricultural exhibit. He has been in consultation this week with the Executive Committee of the

week with the Executive Committee of the State Agricultural Department, with the faculty of the Iowa State College at Ames and with others in relation to the manner of gathering and arranging an Iowa exhibit.

Mr. Whiting, who is one of the most extensive farmers of the State, is enthusiantic in his determination that the State shall have an agricultural exhibit far surpassing anything ever before attempted. The basis for this exhibit will be gathered at the time of the State Fair this year, and to accomplish this special prizes are to be offered for extra fine samples of agricultural products.

"We are going to have a representation

offered for extra fine samples of agricultural products.

"We are going to have a representation of Jowa products at St. Louis," said Mr. Whiting, "that will be a credit to the State and not only will it represent the general products of the State, but all the products. A great many products are grown in Iowa about which the average man knows little. We have more varieties of agricultural products than almost any State of the Union. All we need is to get them together, and I ask the co-operation of the f.prmers of the State in securing the material for the exhibit. We hope to induce the people to make special efforts this year to grow the finest grains, seeds and subers, and after they are grown and we know where to get them the commission will make purchases of what is desired.

"There are many farmers in the State engaging in specialties. We will get in touch with all these and induce them to do their best this year, each one in his special ine. I am assured of the hearty co-operation of the officials of the Department of Agriculture and of the men at the State College, who are just now doing wonders to advance the cause of agriculture in Iowa, and I feel confident that we are going to make an exhibit worthy of the State."

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The exact amount which the commission will make use of for each of the severa departments has not yet been determined upon, but the agricultural exhibit is regarded as by far the most important.

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DON'T WANT TO TAKE OATHS. Witnesses Make Peculiar Request

of Police Court Clerk. When the case of Martin J. Allmeroth harged with disturbing the peace of his father, Adam Allmeroth, a tailor at No. 1312 South Broadway, comes up for trial in the First District Police Court on January 20, Judge Sidener will be requested to hear the witnesses without swearing them. The case was called yesterday and as the

defendant, complaining witness and Ben, Emma and Ida Allmeroth, stepped up to the bar, the father requested Assistant Clerk Whalen to permit them to give testimony without taking oath.

"We belong to the Society of Righteousness," said Adam Allmeroth, the father, "and we do not consider it necessary to take an oath. Persons in our society never tell lies, and for that reason we will all tell the truth without having been sworn."

Whalen had intended to speak to Judge Sidener about this unusual request when the court announced that the case would be continued until next Tuesday morning. Judge Sidener, when informed of the request, stated that the witnesses would have to be sworn.

The trouble between the father and son

quest, stated that the witnesses would have to be sworn.

The trouble between the father and son arose over the latter's request to have a suit of clothes made and charged to his account as a member of the firm. The father refused to grant the request, which the witnesses say caused the young man to use abusive language in addressing his parent.

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FRATERNAL PATRIOTS FOUNDED

New Insurance Order Established at Monroe City, Mo.

BEPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Monroe City, Mo., Jan, 18.—The "Fraternal Patriots," an insurance society, has been founded in this city. A charter from the Secretary of State was received yesterday. The constitution stipulates that the head office shall remain in Monroe City, Mo., and provides for the erection of a suitable building for the same.

Local Assembly, No. I, was organized here last evening with 125 charter members. The promoters of the society are: Robert Meriwether, W. R. P. Jackson, J. W. Evans, J. G. Wale, J. J. Brown, J. W. Cox and Mrs. Lora Hollock.

Holy Name Society Entertainment. The farce, 'New Brooms Sweep Clean,' will be presented by the Dramatic Club of Eoly Name Young Men's Sodaity at the entertainment to be given next Wednesday evening. The entertainment will begin at 8 p. m., to be followed with a dence.

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1) Sentement for Counterfeiting.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Carthage, Ho., Jan H. John McHesn, an o'd man, of Joplin, arrested on a charge of dumterfeiting, was sentenced yesterday by Judge Philips of the United States District Court to one year and a day in the Pententiary, and fined \$105. McHran confessed. When he was found with spurious coins in his possession, and a further investigation at his home revealed molds and other appliances for the manufacture of counterfeits.

Orangeine Hits the Cause

Killed by Premature Explosion Mashville, Ill., Jan. 16.—Christ Brandhorst, employed in the Murray mine in this city, was instantly killed at 4 o'clock to-day. Mr. Brandhorst had fired one shot and was in the act of lighting the second when he exposion occurred which ended his life. He was 56 years old and leaves a large family.

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PREMONITION OF HIS ARREST. Negro Had Dream That Police Were After Him.

"I knew you men were coming after me. I saw you both in a dream and knew I was going to be arrested," said Harry Robinson, a negro, to Detectives Ziegier and Lawler, who arrested him at No. 200 Pine street yesterday morning.

The detectives were surprised by the negro's statement, and asked him to explain. "You see." he said, "I am the seventh son of a seventh son, and I can foretell the future. Yesterday morning when I got up I told my wife that a fat man with a mustache and a smaller man with a smooth face were coming after me. She laughed at me, but I was right."

The description fits the two detectives who arrested the negro. Robinson was arrested on the request of the Sherinf of Troy. No., who telegraphed that the negro is wanted there for disturbing the peace.

Robinson says he ran away from Moscow



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